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Previous references.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Serial Nos 156

Part B for August-1921.

SUBJECT

Sanitary Improvement- to Sravana Belagola

(1) From The Sanitary Commr C.S.-24-S- 4-11-20

Requesting the Necessity for providing adequate funds for the Proper Conservancy Arrangements of the Sravana Belgola Town

(2) To the Chief Commr Lis 721-94-8-21

WD 1333—GPB—14,500—30-5-21.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(Rel)

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NOTES

File No 156-20

FILE HEADING

Anatchary Conditions of Travancore Labour

From

The Pan. Comm in Colombo

No. C 529-5 Dated 7 12 20 Received 14 12 20

Diary No 4638	Index / Spare Copies	Serial No. /

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Forwards for information a copy of his letter No C 529 dt 7 12 20 to the Govt Travancore on the question of granting relief to Travancore labourers in Ceylon

NOTES AND ORDERS

Draft calling for a report of the action taken in the matter from the Govt, Travancore Dist & Subd for appeal or other orders

23 members

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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2	To The D.C. Hatton No R/295 dt 23.2.21 Invites his attention to the Land Commr's letter dated 13.12.20 re insanitary condition of Sravanabelagola & requests him to state what action has been taken in the matter
	To The Land Commr No R/296 dt 23.2.21 FS for info
3	From the D.C. Hassan Distt No C 510/21 dt 13.3.1921 In reply to Sl 2, requests that a lumpsum grant of Rs 2000/- may be given to Sravanabelagola mutt for sanitary improvements. From the reports received it may be gathered that sanitation of the place is in a most neglected c.

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evidently

the mld do not have any interest in the affairs of the locality.

Under such circs, it may not be possible to effect the necessary improvements within the course of one year only. A programme of improvements extending over a period of five years will have to be prepared, the urgent needs as regards conservancy and sanitation by means of removing bandicoots etc being placed

The expenditure on this account should be provided for from the funds of the municipality and the Surgeon Dept, aided by contributions from Govt. The programme should be adhered to strictly and a report of the improvements effected to be sent by the D.C. half yearly

The D.C has not reported clearly what the needs of the mld are at present and on what items

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they will spend the grant now asked for, if given

It is not also known what portion of the Rl Revenue is being credited to the temple. The program Secy may perhaps be able to give a definite idea about this & the authority under which it is being credited as such

As regards the ways of increasing the rel revenue, the feasibility of levying pilgrim tax on all persons who visit the temple place and of levying charges or tolls may be suggested to the rel dept for submission of suitable proposals in the matter

The question of giving Rs 1000/- as well as the suggestions made above are for orders

Yes please refer to the Murray Secy for a note

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Mr Scott)

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There is no file in the HL Branch bearing on the subject. A draft to the D.C requesting him to quote the date of the order under which the proceeds are being credited to the temple is submitted.

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4 To the D C Tirupandal
No R 11777 D 23 4 21
Request him to quote the no & date of GO authorising the credit of pul funds to the Temple funds

From the D C Tirupandal
No C 588 D 23 6 21
Stated that under Pos No 4359-60/2 ZZ 265-72 28th Leap 1893 Iravanakkappa was created by a hereditary & that Swamy is willing to credit 1/3 of the pul Revenue to the Devasthanam & 2/3 to the pul Funds & requests Sanction

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Govt for an allotment of Rs 2000/- for the Sanitary improvement of the town

A provision of Rs 2500/- seems to have been made in the State budget for Sanitary improvements & it is not known how it is to be distributed hence this be sent to the Financial Secy for ~~sanction~~ a note as to how the amount in question is to be allotted

7/7 [signature] in any bottom with / [illegible] note on the front

No details are available in the Sanitary Section regarding the allotments for Sanitary improvements A sum of Rs 19330 is lowest placed at the disposal of the ~~Dist Council~~ Dt Boards of the Malabar Dt for completing incomplete works taken up under the 3 Schemes, as per G O 9186/21

7/7/21 [signature]

A list of the improvements to be carried out exists in Collectorate

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Nos may be done	programme may be called for Regarding the funds for such works (1) a contribution of Rs 2000 from State funds is asked for whether this may be taken out of the sum allotted for Sanitary improvements or is a fresh one for such
This may be considered later on	
This will give some slight addition to the resources that may be taken advantage of	(2) The Swamy of the Mutt has now agreed to pay 2/3 of not half only as before of the total Municipal Revenue This may be approved
There seems to be no reason for this	(3) The question of the Muzra Dept should also be considered
This is not generally awarded - May be left out of account	(4) Special taxes or fresh ones may perhaps be imposed (See G.O. 1st Nov Regn)

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[illegible] Scientific Improvements, [illegible] can be made only to a [illegible] purpose & not necessarily [illegible] in a financial [illegible] Municipality- & the Municipality submits any special [illegible] which must be [illegible] & [illegible] & may be [illegible] Municipality may [illegible] which [illegible] Commissioner [illegible] any instances such cases under the rule [illegible]

draft letter to [illegible] for appl -

Scientific Instruments

To

The Dt Hasan
No 725 R 4 8-21

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Department of Public Health in Mysore

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER
WITH THE GOVT OF MYSORE

Bangalore dated the 7th Dec 192

No. C529-5
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From

A K. PANI, Esq. D P H etc

Offg Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of
H H the Maharaja of Mysore BANGALORE

D Dis 4638
11.12.27
Rl 156-28

To

G Aravamudu Ivengar, Esq , B A , B I ,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of my letter addressed to the Deputy Commissioner, Hassan District inviting attention to the urgent need for providing funds for the maintenance of satisfactory conservancy arrangements in the Shravana Belagóla town

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

A K Pani

Offg Sanitary Commissioner

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From

The Sanitary Commissioner
in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

Dated 2/9 December 1920

Despatched 9 December 1920

Received 10 December 1920

General No. C529-5 Dec 1920
No.

Enclosure No. one

Subject.
Reporting the necessity for providing adequate funds for the proper conservancy arrangements of the Sravanabelgola town

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celebrated shrine attracting annually a large number of pilgrims from all parts of India, it appears to me very necessary that the Mysore Department should make over an adequate portion of the local income towards meeting the cost of maintaining satisfactory sanitary conditions in the town. I would particularly request that (after personal inspection of the place if you think such inspection necessary) you will be so good as to move Government so that a contribution commensurate with the importance of the town is made from out of State Funds for sanitary improvements and maintenance charges of conservancy.

4. A detailed note of inspection in regard to the minor sanitary items requiring attention will be furnished to you in due course.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Sd/- A. K. Pani,
Offg. Sanitary Commissioner.

Copy
forwarded

Office of the Sanitary Commissioner
with the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore dated _____1920.

Memo.

C 529—07 7/9 12 20

From

A K Pani, Esq , D.P.H , &c ,
Offg Sanitary Commissioner with the
Government of Mysore, Bangalore

To

B. Venkoba Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District.

I have the honor to bring to your notice the utter backward state of sanitation in the Shravana Belgola town, which I inspected a few days ago in company with the Vice-President, the Municipal Councillor and the Sanitary Inspector of the Taluk. The storm water drain at the foot of the hillock was in a state of utter neglect. Over growth of rank vegetation and stagnation of sewage were every where evident along the length of the drain. The storm water and sewage drains in the other parts of the town are choked full with silt and over grown with vegetation.

2. The prettiness of the town with its nicely laid out streets and several well built houses is thus marred by a total lack of sanitary arrangements I gathered that the major portion of the revenue of the town is paid off as contribution to the Munrai Department, leaving a balance so inadequate that it has not been possible to find funds for the regular disbursement of pay to the conservancy staff This large town has had to be content with only 2 sweepers, he have not been paid for the past 4 months;

3 Considering the importance of the place as a cel

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Diary No. of letter replied to 4635

General and Revenue Secretariat
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Date of issue 23-2-21

Signed

Section Rel
File No. 158-20
Serial No 2

No. R 9275

To

The Dy Comm., Hazara Dn

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to the Secy to Govt's letter no. C. 529 Q dt 7/9 Dec 1920 to your address [illegible] bringing to your notice the [illegible] inconsistency [illegible] I am directed to request you to be

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For the information of Govt what
so good as a report in which has been
information
taken on the matter from
Report
above is

Remarks R-9296

Copy forwarded to the
Asst Engineer Coastal
for the Collr M.O. 529-39-76 dtd
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Last of enclosures.

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District,
Dated, Hassan, 16th March 1921

Ml 156-20

From

B. Venkoba Rao, Esquire, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

To

B Ramaswamiya, Esquire, B A.B L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue Department, B a n g a l o r e

D No. 7022
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Sir,

With reference to your letter No 9295/Ml 156-20-2 dated 23rd February 1921 enquiring what action has been taken on the - reference No C 529 dated 9th December 1920 from the Sanitary --- Commissioner regarding sanitary improvements to the Sravanabelgo -la town, I have the honour to state as follows -

1 The improvements to the town suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner are of the kind falling under the rules issued with Government Order No G 5321-44/Sau 47-17-6 dated 12th September - 1918 The improvements appear to cost more than Rs 5000/- if -- they should be carried out satisfactorily, and require the sanction approval of the Central Sanitary Board Lists of all such Sani- -tary works have been called for by the Sanitary Commissioner -- in his letter No C 791-dated 18th February 1921 and are being - compiled They will be sent up when ready to the Central Board after making adequate provis ons, wherever possible in the budget for the year 1921-22

2 Mean while, I may bring to the notice of Governmen that Shravanabelgola is a minor municipality of slender resources Its income hardly amounts to Rs 3000/- per year as observed by the Sanitary Commissioner in his letter the municipality is working with a minus balance just now With such small income, the muni -- plality cannot undertake independently, works of any magnitude

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From

The Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

To

The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore

Dated

Despatched, 13th March 1921

Received

General No. C 540
No. 62

Enclosure No. one

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16 MAR 1921

Subject

Requesting for an allotment of a lump sum grant of Rs 2000/- for sanitary improvements to Sravanabelgola minor municipality

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magnitude for the sanitary improvements that are necessary and urgent Shravanabelgola attracts thousands of pilgrims from all parts of India on account of its celebrated shrine This consideration weighs most in its favour and on this account a --- special lump sum grant of at least Rs 2000/- for immediate improvements would be necessary Should the Government be pleased sanction this amount steps will be taken to effect the needful urgent improvements before the close of the year

3 The Sanitary Commissioner in his letter under reference (copy enclosed) states that detailed notes of inspection in regard to the minor sanitary items requiring attention will be furnished in due course These do not appear to have been received here and I have reminded the Sanitary Commissioner for the same As soon as they are received the Shravanabelgola Municipality will be asked to take immediate action for carrying out what urgent sanitary improvements may be necessary While the aid of the grant above suggested and I intend addressing the Government in the Muzarai Department to compensate the Mutt by a State grant in lieu of the portion of municipal revenue now being credited to the Muttfunds as stated by the Sanitary Commissioner in paragraph 3 of the enclosed letter

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

Letter No C 529 dated 9th December 1920 from the Sanitary Commissioner in Mysore, to the Deputy Commissioner Hassan

I have the honor to bring to your notice the extremely backward state of sanitation in the Sravanabelgola town which I inspected a few days ago in company with the Vice President the Municipal Councillor and the Sanitary Inspector of the Taluk The storm water drain at the foot of the hillock was in a state of utter neglect Overgrowth of rank vegetation and stagnation of sewage were every where evident along the length of the drain The storm water and sewage drains in the other parts of the town are choked full with silt and over grown with vegetation

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3 Considering the importance of the place as a celebrated shrine attracting a large number of pilgrims from all parts of India, it appears to be very necessary that the Muzrai Department should make over an adequate portion of the local income towards meeting the cost of maintaining satisfactory sanitary conditions in the town I would particularly request that (after personal inspection of the place if you think such inspection necessary) you willbe so good as to move Government so that a contribution commensurate with the importance of the town is made from out of State Funds for sanitary improvements and maintenance charges of conservancy

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Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

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SUBJECT .....

Diary No. of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 23.4.24

Signed by Sd/ Kalaneswara

Section Rel

File No. 156-20

Serial No. 4

No. R 11777 Dy 23.4.24

To The D.C. Batticaloa Distt

Sir,

I write with reference to your letter No. [illegible] dated 18th March 24 on the subject of grant-in-aid allotment of an amount of Rs 2000 for sanitary improvements to Sravanabelgola Sulthan. I am directed to request you to excuse the delay in the date of the [illegible]

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under which a portion of
the net income of the
trust is being credited
to the trust funds

I have etc

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No C588/LF

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District,
Hassan, Dated 23rd June 21
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From

B Venkoba Rao, Esq., B A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

D No 9644
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To

B Ramaswamaiya, Esq B A B L,
Secretary to Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue
Department, Bangalore

Rev 156-20-5

Sir,

With reference to your letter No R 11777/M1 156-20-4, dated 23rd April 1921 I have the honor to state that according to Government Order No 4359-60/4 L F 245-92, dated 8th September 1893 (Copy enclosed for ready reference) Sravanabelgola was constituted a Municipality which was to be maintained by a moiety of house and Mohatarfa taxes As stated in the preamble to the above Government Order the Mutchalika taken from the Swamy of the Mutt on 21st July 1893, was forwarded to Government with this Office letter No 116 dated 7th August 1893

2 The Swamy of the Mutt now says that it is enough if only 1/3rd of the total Municipal revenue is given for the maintenance of the Mutt and that the remaining 2/3rds may be credited to the Municipal funds This letter was placed before the Sravanabelgola Municipal Council held on 24th May 1921, and it was resolved that this proposal may be approved Copies of the letter and the Resolution are enclosed

3 I request that for the reasons already given in my letter of the 18th March 1921, sanction of Government may kindly be obtained early for an allotment of

of Rs2,000/- (not Rs200/- as mentioned in your letter dated 23rd April 1921, under reply) for Sanitary Improvement of the Sravanabelgola town which is frequented, all the year round, by a large number of Devotees on account of its famous shrine This grant is all the more necessary in view of the urgency of the improvements recommended by the Sanitary Commissioner and as he says in his Memo No 791-8 dated 9th June 1921, that no grant can be sanctioned by the Central Sanitary Board for the year 1921-22

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,

Hassan District

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read -

Letter from the DeputyCommissioner of the Hassan District dated 7th August 1893, No 116, submitting a statement showing the house and Mohatarfa revenue which may be realized when Sravanabelgola should be constituted a Municipality and a Moochalika dated 21st July 1893, obtained from the Inamdar (Matt Swamy) agreeing to give up half of the Mohatarfa taxes to the Municipality proposed to be established

Order thereon No 4359 to 60½/L F 245-92 dated 8th Decr 93

Under the circumstances now stated Government are pleased to sanction the formation of a Municipality at Sravanabelgola The Municipality will be maintained by a moiety of House and Mohatarfa taxes made over by the Inamdar in favour of the Municipality and miscellaneous items such as sale of building sites receipts from cattle pound sale of manure etc

2 The estimated receipts and expenditure of the newly constituted Municipality will be as shown below -

Receipts

II	House Tax (Moiety of revenue)		Rs 160/-
VII	Mohatarfa (a) Shop Tax		" 65/-
	(b) Loan		-
	(c) Oil Mill		" 12/-
	(d) Cart Tax		" 11/-
X	Miscellaneous (a) sale of lands (Rent)		5
	(g) do manure &c		
	Total		Rs 253

Expenditure

II	Head Office Commission to Taluk Gumasta	Rs 2/-
I/	Conservancy (a) Establishment	
	1 — Peon on @ Rs 4/-	Rs 48/-
	3 — Sweepers @ Rs 5/-	" 180/-
	Estimated Balance	Total Rs 240/-
		13 —

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3 The estimated receipts and expenditure call for no remark except that the item under "II Head Office" on the side of expenditure on account of the Taluk Gumasta cannot be sanctioned

4 Before approving the list of members proposed for the constitution of the Board the Deputy Commissioner is requested to state the names of the Parpathegaras and School masters for appointment as nominated members as they cannot be appointed as ex-officio members as proposed If any D P W Officer resides in the Town he should be proposed as an ex-officio member

Sd T Ananda Rao
Chief Secretary to Government

"Copy"

For Deputy Commissioner
Hassan District

Proceedings of the Meeting of the Sravanabelgola Municipal Council, held on the 24th May 1971

Present W S Seshagiri Rao B A B I , President

Members

Present

1 Mr G K Padmarajaiah
2 " Settra Dharaniah
3 " Dharaniah
4 " B P Pommaiah
5 " Parswanathiah
6 " C R Bhujabaliah
7 " Abdul Majeed Sab

Absent

1 Mr Dorbali Jinadasa Sastri
2. " G K Vajranabiah

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6 Question of improving the finances of the Municipality and the letter of Sri Swami about the same

Read Sri Swami's letter about his willingness to received 1/3rd of the total Municipal Revenue the remaining 2/3rd being used for the Municipality

Resolution - This may be recommended for sanction

x x x x

Sd M S Seshagiri Rao,
President, Sravanabelgola
Municipality S Belgola

"Extract"

Deputy Commissioner,
Hassan District

G. A. S. VI—G/32]

SUBJECT ...

Diary No. of letter replied to 9666

General and Revenue Secretariat

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File No. 156 - 20

Serial No 6

No L 725

To

Date of issue 4th August 19...

Signed by Asst. Secretary to Govt.

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the Local Revenue, Rosmuck [illegible]
Port [illegible] & Rights being Conveyed
to the Trust. in and of the Piers
for the Sanitary Improve-
ments of the Roundstone
Town which is frequented
all the year round by a
large number of Trawlers
[illegible] by the Roundstone
Town Council to abate Nuisance
Quay over Street the Offer
the offer made by the Trustees
& to request that
the Trustees [illegible] be approved
the Transfer [illegible] Interest of the Trust
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Solicitor's opinion as
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the Grant [illegible] for the purpose of that Scheme
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Trustees [illegible] the
Enactment empowering [illegible]
Solicitor [illegible] Board
may be asked to approve the
Securities by endorsing Resolutions
under the Seal

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